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Panama Pacific Exposition Ends Dec. 4th.

Thousands of well wishers of the Panam-Pacific International Exposition in all parts of the world, have requested news of its progress.

Despite the natural effect of the great war in Europe to minimize the public perspective of many important events, which under more favorable conditions would have attracted world wide attention, the unprecedented participation of many nations in the Exposition, including the participation of thirteen European nations and principalities has rendered the Exposition the object of international interest.

With its mission fulfilled, the Exposition stands today as the greatest and most comprehensive celebration of modern times. In magnitude and grandeur it has never been surpassed. In comprehensiveness and modernness of its exhibits, in its great attendance, in a success that stands out in contrast with the greatest war that the world has known, the Exposition has excelled every prediction.

The vast assemblage of state and foreign pavilions, the lofty exhibit palaces designed by the most notable of architects, the brilliancy of the lighting scheme which proclaims new methods in decorative illumination, have met the warmest admiration from the thousands of visitors.

In every detail of its many features, even to the fact that it was enabled to pay off all of its indebtedness ($1,200,000) before it was two-thirds over, the Exposition has proved itself more wonderful than any other Exposition in history. It opened February 20th, upon schedule time, completed in every detail except for the placing of some of the European exhibits. At this time more than 15,000,000 persons have passed through its turnstiles to view its myriad glories, approximately 400,000 exhibits being shown. Exclusive of the appraisal of this great collection of exhibits the Exposition represents an investment of more than $50,000,000. Its magnificent buildings, costly, and colossal and distinctive in their architecture, have met with unequivocal praise from visitors from all parts of the world. Above all other impressions produced by the Exposition is that produced by the first flashing glimpse of its palaces with their great bands of color, the vast exhibition of flowers in riotous bloom, and the wonderful architectural outline spreading over an area of just a little less than four square miles.

The Exposition will close on December 4, 1915, the date set for its closing. President Charles C. Moore, has stated that this announcement is to be accepted as final.

The marvelous exhibits aggregate contributions from all nations, and signify the progress of the world in all lines of activity as well as the discovery and development of resources of all kinds within the past ten years. The exhibits are selective and represent the best of the leading products in every corner of the earth.

The Exposition has caused the largest westward travel movement in the history of the United States. After a ten days' investigation, officials of transcontinental railroads reported that between March 1st and August 31st, 1915, 450,000 to 500,000 persons had traveled from points east of the Rockies to San Francisco. This was submitted as a conservative estimate. Over 165,000 persons are said to have come from Canada, South America and all other portions of the globe.

The Exposition has been the scene of the first telephone message to pass by wire across the continent. It has recorded hundreds of inventions and developments in scientific and allied research that promise to revolutionize prevailing methods.

Many unique displays, widely assorted, are found in every quarter of the Exposition. It would be difficult to say what ones have contributed most to human advancement or promise the most. Foremost perhaps are the exhibits demonstrating the achievements of wireless telephony and telegraphy.

In the Palace of Liberal Arts, each day at two o'clock, visitors take part in a demonstration of the use of the transcontinental telephone. A demonstrator in New York City reads from the headlines of the New York newspapers. The audience is provided with telephone receivers attached to each chair.

Teere is also the "Home Electrical", equipped throughout with conveniences that operate themselves, thanks to the well-developed contrivance of the electric interiors.

Wonderful horticultural achievements are presented both in the horticultural exhibits proper and in chosen garden spots upon the Exposition grounds. The [illegible] that are expected. Japanese garden transplanted—soil and all from the Orient. The vegetation of the tropics are well shown in the Palace of Horticulture and in the Philippine hot-houses.

Huge creole palms rise beneath the giant glass dome of the Horticultural Palace. Magnificient new specimens of roses from England, Scotland, Ireland and all rose growing sections of the United States are shown. The Netherlands has a wonderful out-door garden, laid out by Arie van Vliet, one of the most famous florists and landscape gardeners in Holland.

In the Palace of Agriculture, is a giant sage-brush plow that will cut off and turn beneath the sod a forest of sage brush as high as a man's head.

A dramatic contrast is afforded in the Palace of Transportation. In this palace are the historic mail pouches of the pony express, and an old Congress coach used in the early days by the Wells-Fargo Overland Mail and, within a dozen paces, that behemoth of modern steam locomotives, the "4043" Mallet of the Southern Pacific.

In the domain of mines and metallurgy the most important advances that are featured is that of human welfare—safety precautions for the men who work beneath the earth.

No mention of the Exposition would be complete without a mention of its lighting. The illumination is without doubt the most wonderful and spectacular the world has known. The Panama – Pacific International Exposition marks the first time that the illuminating features of the indirect and semi-indirect have been publicly exhibited. Nowhere upon the Exposition grounds is the visitor obliged to look at a great blaze of light. All the light upon the exhibit palaces is reflected against them—the effect is marvellous. At night the Exposition becomes magical and elusive. Its riotous, brilliant colors are enhanced and intensified. The exhibit palaces appear shimmering and radiant and under the spell of huge batteries of search-lights assume an indescribable lustre and brilliancy.

The Panama-Pacific International Exposition will close on December 4th, but it has more than fulfilled its mission. With half the world at war it stands today as the largest and most comprehensive world-exhibition in history.

Despite the great war, the nations are well represented, and the exposition has lost nothing of its international character. Forty nine countries are taking official part and every civilized portion of the world is represented either by official display or by private exhibitors and sasociations of exhibitor s.

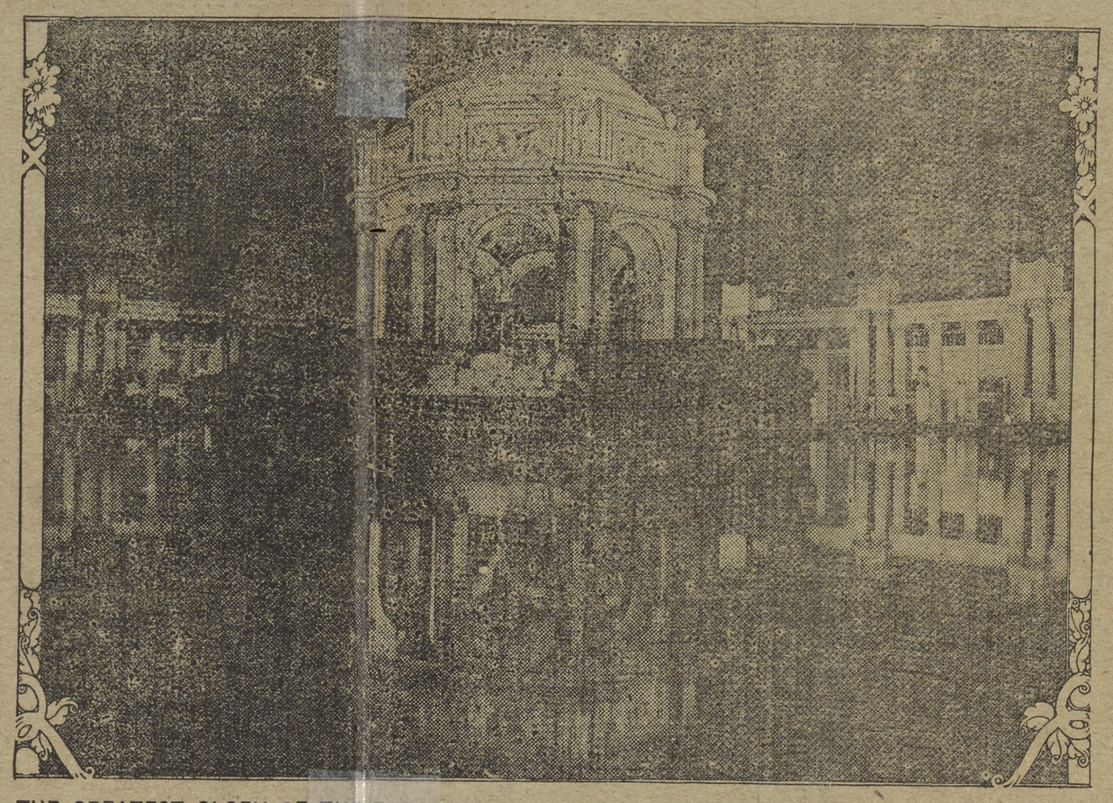
TWO MEN HURT ---CHAIN SNAPS

A serious accident occured shortly before noon yesterday on the Western Pacific right-of-way near the tower at the Southern Pacific crossing.

The crew of the work train was busy placing heavy boulders along the side of the track and a large rock, weighing many tons, was being dragged into place, when the chain snapped and swung around with terrific force, striking Fred Bishop in the head, crushing in his skull, and also striking a laborer named Underwood in the legs, inflicting extremely painful injuries.

Bishop was immediately rushed to the Billings Hospital at Hayward, where an operation was performed in the hope of saving his life, but he passed away at one o'clock this morning.

Underwood is unmarried, but Bishop is a married man.



THE GREATEST GLORY OF THE EXPOSITION, THE PALACE OF FINE ARTS, TO BE SAVED.

PLANS are under way in San Francisco to preserve the splendid Palace of Fine Arts as a legacy of the world's most beautiful Exposition. This splendid building rivals any architectural creation of present or past eras. It was pronounced by Lord Richard Neville, emissary of King George of England, as one of the two most beautiful buildings in the world, the other being the Taj Mahal, in India.

Big Time Planned On Opening Night

Next Saturday night will be a big night in Centerville, for on that night the new auditorium which has been built by the Holy Ghost Catholic church will be thrown open for the first time to the public and elaborate plans have been made to entertain the half-t[illegible]

An entertainment, given under the auspices of Hanna Institute, Y. L. I., will be first on the program, and this in itself should be enough to draw a huge crowd, for these young ladies are not novices in entertainment work, as they have given several extremely enjoyable programs previous to this time.

At ten o'clock the floor will be cleared and those who wish may enjoy the rest of the evening by dancing on the new floor which is claimed to be one of the best in the community.

Good music has been secured and a good time is assured. Of course a small admission fee will be charged, but it will cover both the entertainment and the dance.

The new auditorium is constructed along Mission lines and is a very handsome structure. It is located on the property adjoining the church, recently purchased from the Gregory estate.

Press Opens Branch Offices

For the benefit and convenience of its subscribers and to facilitate the gathering of news, THE PRESS has opened branch offices in Irvington, Centerville and Newark, and will shortly open offices in Alvarado and Mission San Jose.

If you know of any news that you believe would be of interest to the rest of the people, just drop into the branch in your town and it will be taken care of.

Any notes which you may wish to have inserted in the Friday issue of THE PRESS must be given into the PRESS Branch not later than Wednesday night.

You may also subscribe to THE PRESS or renew your subscriptions through your local branch and any job work or advertisements turned in at your branch will receive prompt attention.

Irvington Branch — Mrs. Roderick's Candy Store.

Centerville Branch—J. S. Bell's Candy Store.

Newark Branch—Mrs. M. E. Bole—at the post office.

New Athletic Club in Niles

The new club room and gymnasium of the Niles Athletic Club will be thrown open for inspection for the first time this evening, when an informal house-warming will be held and members and their friends will partake of a luncheon prepared by Messers. Stratton and Whitfield.

The headquarters of the new club will be located on the ground floor of the Wesley Hotel and a force of carpen[illegible] have been in shape so that dances, exhibitions and banquets may be held there.

The initiation fees in the club will be $1.00 and the monthly dues 25 cents. About twenty-five members are already enrolled and it is expected that this number will be greatly increased after tonight.

For further information on the club apply to Jack Garrett, secretary.

Entertainment at Newark Friday

The Young Peoples' Bible Class of the Presbyterian church in Newark will give an entertainment for the benefiit of the church, in the Newark pavilion, on Friday evening, November 19, 1915, at 8 o'clock.

They will give a play entitled "A Case of Suspension," and this will be accompanied with vocal and instrumental music, participated in by other local talent and from other places.

The price of admission will be, for adults, 25 cents, and for children under twelve years, 15 cents.

Refreshments will be served at the cose, and a social hour enjoyed.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness and sympathy and beautiful floral offerings extended to us in our late bereavement in the loss of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. Kell and family.

BOLD ROBBERY ON MAIN STREET

Three bold thieves succeeded last Monday evening in successfully robbing the pool hall conducted by Milton Fournier on Main street, of merchandise valued at about $12, and made a clean get-away.

The three men drove up to the pool hall in a touring car about eight o'clock [illegible] and went inside and played a couple of games. After paying for the games, two of the party went outside and entered the machine while the third lingered inside at the cigar counter.

The stranger asked to be shown some cigars of a certain brand and Mr. Fournier, Sr., who waited on him, laid two boxes on the counter for inspection. The stranger picked up both boxes and started out the door with them, at the same time remarking that he wished his companions to decide which kind was wanted.

Mr. Fournier followed them outside in time to see the driver start the engine, and as the man with the cigars jumped aboard, the car whirled away. In the darkness it was impossible to read the license number.

After leaving Niles, the thieves drove toward Milpitas, and when near that town, held up an automobile and relieved the occupants of the car of $15 and a gold watch.

After robbing the party, the thieves treated their victims to some of the cigars stolen in Niles.

Press to be Published On Friday Mornings

The present manager of THE PRESS has always favored Friday as a publication day for country papers, and a two months' experiment on this paper, publishing it on Saturday, has only strengthened this belief. So hereafter you may expect your paper on Friday.

Spring Valley is Hit Hard.

The result of the election in San Francisco, Tuesday, is a hard blow to the Spring Valley Water Co. The new Board of Supervisors will urge the rapid completion of the Hetch Hetchy project. The purchase of the Spring Valley Water Company properties, which Mayor Rolph favored so strongly, will not have such an easy time, now that the Mayor has lost control of the Board.

The result of the election is another victory for Hetch Hetchy. And whatever helps Hetch Hetchy along is a benefit to Alameda County. Mayor Rolph's message in vetoing the Hetch Hetchy bond sale indicated that the ground was slipping out from under him and his Spring Valley supporters. It is a matter for sincere congratulation on our part that the Spring Valley deal has received such a setback.

From now on there will be a friendlier attitude toward the claims of the Alameda County Water District so far as the city of San Francisco is concerned.

Rural Route May Be Discontinued

Residents of Washington township and particularly those living about Newark are making a determined fight to get the post office authorities to recind their order abolishing the Newark rural free delivery route.

Orders have been sent out from Washington that after December 16th the Newark route will be abolished and mail formerly delivered over this route will go out from Niles.

The Newark route serves nearly one hundred and twenty-five boxes and the carrier covers a route approximately twenty miles long. If this route is added to the Niles route, which is now over thirty miles long, the Niles carrier will have to cover more than fifty miles each day and serve about three hundred boxes.

Perhaps the government sees some good that will come out of the consolidation of the two routes, but Newark residents are up in arms over the proposed change, and a special meeting of the Newark Chamber of Commerce was called last Monday night for the purpose of protesting against the action of the post office officials and resolutions to this effect were drawn up and signed by all present.

Tuesday a petition was circulated over the route, praying tnat the service be continued, and was forwarded to Washington.

NOTICE

Rev. W. W. Willard of San Jose will deliver an address on "The Coming Citizenship" at the meeting of the Young Men's League in the Congregational church on Sunday evening at 7:15.

A short business meeting will give an opportunity for new members to enroll and for the payment of dues.

CHAS. TRIMINGHAM, Sec't'y.

THANKS

The undersigned wishes to announce that he has sold the Interurban Laundry to H. G. Stratton. He also wishes to thank those who have patronized him during the past years.

DAN. B. GREENWOOD.

Presbyterian Ladies to Hold Big Bazaar

The Ladies' Aid of the Centerville Presbyterian church will hold a bazaar in Pexioto's Hall at Centerville, on Saturday afternoon, November 20.

The articles which will be sold at the bazaar are the handiwork of the ladies of the church and will be well worth the nominal prices which will be asked for them.

Christmas is coming, and for charming presents, the dainty pieces of fancy work which will be on sale next Saturday, cannot be excelled.

P. G. and E. WILL GIVE MOVIE SHOW

The Pacific Gas and Electric Company in conjunction with the Farm Bureau, is showing a series of motion pictures portraying the interesting work incidental to the manufacture of electricity, how it is distributed, and showing the various uses to which it can be put.

The exhibition is free and will be shown in Maple Hall, Irvington, on November 16, Newark Pavillon, Newark, on November 19, and at the Niles school house on November 24.

Everyone is invited.

LOST:—On Main or Second St., Thursday, gold emblem pin, initals, S. P. R. S. I. with initals R. S. N. on back. Finder return to Mrs. R. S. Nunes Niles. Reward.

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Last week we quoted Spring Valley's eminent engineer, Herman Schussler, to prove the falsity of the statements in regard to the Calaveras dam, which the Spring Valley's present mouthpiece is trying to pass out. This week we quote from the Spring Valley Waters Co.'s answer to the complaint in the suit filed by the Alameda County Water District. Will Jefferis publishes a heading "More Water and Less Taxes". It is a bold attempt to deceive. **The real intentions of the Spring Valley Water Co. are shown in its answer to the Water District's complaint.**

After denying everything in the Water Districts complaint the Spring Valley Co. claims the right **"to impound, appropriate, divert and take ALL THE WATERS of said creek** (Alameda Creek) **and of ALL THE TRIBUTARIES AND FEEDERS THEREOF, to the uses and purposes of this defendant.**

There you have it in Spring Valley's own words. Even the Register can not lie around that. Spring Valley confirms everything we have ever said as to their intentions again this township. They concede nothing. They claim everything.

There is only one course open to our people — they must defend their rights in the courts. And it ought to be plain enough now that those who are not with the Water District are with the Spring Valley Water Co. And the people should act accordingly.

RAW RECALL WORK

The recall proceedings again Supervisor Joe Kelly has resulted in several prosecutions for misrepresenting the nature and purpose of the recall. There undoubtedly were ample opportunities to bring similar charges in the recall petition work in this district quite recently.

A exceptionally raw piece of work was uncovered on Will Jefferis himself. In the Newark precinct Mr. Jefferis secured the name of a signer by having a man's fourteen year old daughter sign the father's name. It is to the credit of W. C. Graham to state however, that he would not swear to the fact that he had obtained the signature which Mr. Jefferis had secured. For some reason best konwn to Mr. Jefferis the signature of the father signed by the girl was erased from the petition before it was filed.

The fairy tales told by the solicitors all over the township would make the Kelly recall circulators pale with envy.

REQUIRES SOME NERVE

A certain solicitor for the recall petition against the Water District directors, Mr. Fred Crothers, has asked the people to sign the Spring Valley's recall petition as a personal favor to him. It certainly requires nerve to ask people to sign a recall petition against men like Shinn, Patterson and Stevenson in order to enable Crothers to earn his hand-out from the Spring Valley Water Co.

MORE TAXES AND LESS WATER

If the flood waters of the Alameda Creek are [illegible] Francisco as the Spring Valley Water Co. intends to divert them what will happen to the assessed valuation of the property in Washington Township? And then where will the water come from to supply this township? If our people then are obliged to buy water, where will they get it? How much will they have to pay?

When you pay your taxes this year just take our your pencil and figure out your water tax, 16 cents on every $100 of your assessed property valuation. On $1000 this amounts to $1.60. How much water do you think you could buy from the Spring Valley Water Co. to irrigate your land or even for household purposes for this amount? How many years would it take for the water tax to amount to the loss in your property value if the water is taken away?

If you have to buy the water which now you have under your homes wouldn't the cost amount to much more than your are now paying?

With a shrinkage in property values what will happen to your tax rate on the new school buildings you have bonded yourselves for years to pay for? The lower the assessed valuation of the township the higher the rate of course.

SIGN THE COURTHOUSE REFERENDUM

It is to be hoped that the referendum petition to force a vote of the people in the matter of buying a new couty courthouse site will be largely signed in this township. It is a matter that ought to be voted on by the people.

LOCAL TAX RATE FOR 1915 AND 1914

We publish this week a comparison of the local tax rates for 1915 and 1914. A careful reading of these rates will easily show just what makes the rate higher than last year or lower as the case may be. It will be interesting also to compare the tax rates in the different districts. We give them by school districts. The rates quoted are on $100 assessed valuation. The reason that the High School tax rate is so low is that more of its funds are raised this year by the county rate. This is under a new law.

Niles.

	1915	1914
State and County	$1.39	$1.24
Washington High School	.04	.18
Alameda County Water District	.16	.12
Niles Fire District	.12	.10
Niles School Bond	.16	.15
Niles Sanitary District		.15
	1.87	1.94

Centerville.

	1915	1914
State and County	$1.39	$1.24
Washington High School	.04	.18
Alameda County Water District	.16	.12
Centerville School	.24	.24
	$1.83	$1.78

Decoto.

	1915	1914
State and County	$1.39	$1.24
Washington High School	.04	.18
Alameda County Water District	.16	.12
Decoto School	—	.24
	$1.59	$1.78

Irvington.

	1915	1914
State and County	$1.39	$1.24
Washington High School	.04	.18
Alameda County Water District	.16	.12
	$1.59	$1.54

Mission San Jose.

	1915	1914
State and County	$1.39	$1.24
Washington High School	.04	.18
Mission San Jose School	.42	.44
	$1.85	$1.86

Newark.

	1915	1914
State and County	$1.39	$1.24
Washington High School	.04	.18
Alameda County Water District	.16	.12
Newark School	.27	.34
	$1.86	$1.88

Alviso.

	1915	1914
State and County	$1.39	$1.24
Washington High School	.04	.18
Alameda County Water District	.16	.12
Alviso School	.12	.12
	$1.71	$1.66

Alvarado and Warm Springs.

	1915	1914
State and County	$1.39	$1.24
Washington High School	.04	.18
	$1.43	$1.42

From the foregoing it will be noticed that the State, County and High chool tax combined is just one cent higher than last year. The Water District tax is 4 cents higher. The Niles Fire District is 2 cents higher and the Niles School Bond tax 1 cent higher.

Peaches Peeled by Lye Not Injurious to Health

In spite of the idea held by many people, that lye-peeled peaches are injurious to health, Professor M. E. Jaffa, Consulting Nutrition Expert of the California State Board of Health, says that they are no more injurious than hand peeled fruits. Except for the knife marks of the hand peeled product, it is almost impossible to distinguish one from the other. Food value, flavor and quality are unchanged.

The process of peeling fruit by immersing it in hot lye, afterward washing several times with cold water, is used in many canneries throughout the state. The method is rapid and economical. Yet some people will not eat fruit that has been peeled by this process, fearing that it may be injurious to health. No question has been raised, however, concerning the use of the same process in preparing prunes for the market.

Analyses have been made, in order to learn if the acidity of the lye-peeled peach is less than that of the hand peeled peach, and it was determined that the lye process does not effect the acidity of the finished product. The housewife, then, may be assured that canned peaches, peeled by this process, are wholesome and that there is nothing in them that may be injurious to health.

Schedule of Farm Bureau Meetings

Monday, November 1.—Hayward Center at Hayward.

Friday, November 5.—Castro Valley Center at Castro Valley.

Monday, November 8.—Murray township Center at Livermore.

Tuesday, November 16. — Irvington Center at Irvington.

Thursday, November 18.—Pleasanton Center at Pleasanton.

Friday, November 19. — Centerville Center at Centerville.

Monday, November 22. — Newark Center at Newark.

Wednesday, November 24. — Niles Center at Niles.

WINTER SEASON AT BYRON HOT SPRINGS

H. R. Warner, one of the best known hotel men on the Pacific Coast, is completing arrangements for the winter season of the Byron Hot Springs hotel.

Since the destruction of the famous old resort in the summer of 1913, a modern and up-to-date fire-proof hostelry has been built on the former site. The building, which is more commodious than the old, is so constructed that the bath and treatment rooms are located under one roof.

Byron Hot Springs is two and one-half hours by rail from San Francisco, on the San Joaquin Valley line of the Southern Pacific, and is also reached by some of the best automobile roads in the state. Special arrangements have been made for the care of automobiles.

You'll find it in THE PRESS.

SUNDAY SERVICES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Sunday, November 17, 1915.

10 A. M. Sunday School.

11:00 a. m. Preaching Service: "The Light of the World".

7:00 p. m. Intermediate Christian Endeavor meeting. Leader—Marguerite Todd. Topic: "Jesus' Measure of Giving."

7:45 p. m. Men's League night. Speaker—Rev W. W. Willard of San Jose. Topic: "The Coming Civilization."

CORPUS CHRISTI CHURCH
Niles, Cal.

Mass at 9:30 a. m. each Sunday.

During the month of October services will be held at 7:30 p. m, Rosary sermon and Benediction.

Decoto.

Mass at 11:00 a. m.

HOLY GHOST CATHOLIC CHURCH
Centerville.

Father A. M. Souza, pastor.
Father S. F. Baron, asst. pastor.
Mass daily at 7:00 and 7:30 a. m.
Sunday—Mass at 8 a. m. and 10:50 a. m. Benediction and sermon at 7:30 p. m.

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More Than 15,000,000 Visitors Have Beheld Wonders of Jewel City. Art Smith, Famous Bird Man, Performs Daily In Closing Month—800,000 Feet of Free Motion Picture Film Shown Daily on Exposition Grounds.

"THE last is best of all the game." This is the principle by which the Panama-Pacific International exposition has worked out the problem of its program for the months of October and November with the view in mind of keeping up the public interest and drawing record attendances until the very last minute of the very last day, Dec. 4.

Thus far over 15,000,000 visitors have clicked the turnstiles that grant entrance to the Jewel City. It is the desire of the Exposition directorate to be able to boast of 18,000,000 by the time it has taken its place in the world of happy memories.

For that reason all sorts of special days with elaborate and entertaining programs have been arranged. Something new will happen every day. Many of these events will take place in the beautiful courts of the Exposition. Some of them will take place in the exhibit palaces themselves, where everything is and always has been free. The various state buildings have also planned days and affairs which will enliven the social atmosphere throughout the Exposition "dog days."

One of the leading attractions in the exhibit palaces and state buildings is the moving pictures which are shown every day in the week from 10 o'clock in the morning until 5 in the evening. Eight hundred thousand feet of film are shown daily in these free moving picture theaters, films which in their educative influence answer the purpose of four years' academic study. Every department of living and of science has been taken up and thoroughly exploited. Manufactures and industries, such as the making of shoes and paper, the cutting of timber and its subsequent manufacture into artistic furniture, the making of steel, the mining of iron, gold, silver, copper, shipping and commerce are detailed at length on films of unusual clearness and interest.

Every state in the Union is shown at its best. Magnificent mountain and valley scenery, torrential rivers, cascades and ocean shores, automobile drives and railroad trips constitute a scenic tour that is incomparable.

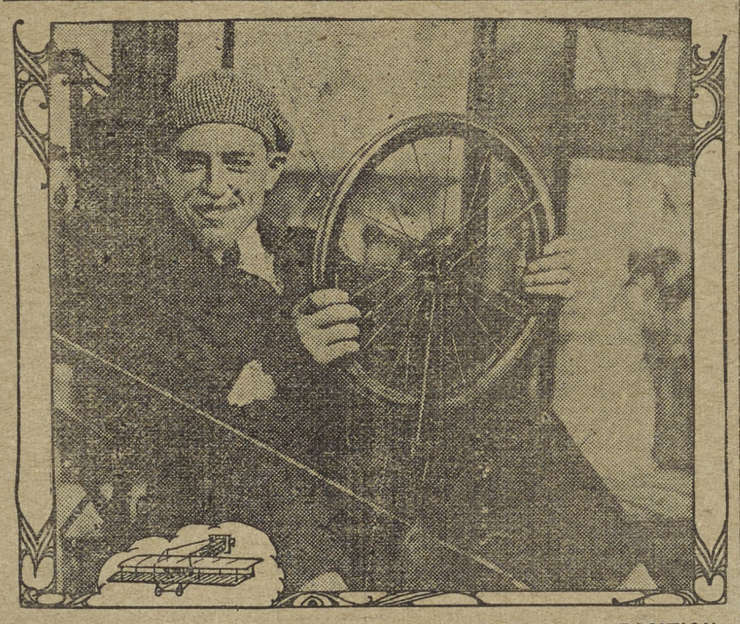
Eastern and middle western visitors are now flocking to San Francisco for the various live stock events which are scheduled to last until the end of the period. At the close of the Society Horse Shows, Oct. 15, the cattle, sheep and hog shows were begun, to be followed by the poultry and dog shows. From all over the country agriculturists will wend their way to Congress Hall at the Exposition, where there will be congresses and conventions with lectures, stereopticons and moving pictures, combining to form a college in agriculture, stock raising and horticulture which no farmer can afford to miss.

There will be aviation exhibits every day in the future, as there have been in the past. At present Charles Niles and Silvio Pettirossi are taking turns in affording sensations to the exposition populace. Beginning Nov. 7 the universal favorite, Art Smith, will again fly up into the clouds and perform strange and hair raising gyrations both afternoons and evenings.

Edward Lemare, the great London organist, will play his daily program at noontime in Festival Hall, and for the modest sum of 10 cents this world renowned musician and genius may he heard in classic score.

Instead of thinning out the attendance the last weeks have seemed to gain, owing, no doubt, to President Moore's proclamation that under no circumstances will the exposition last one minute after midnight on Dec. 4. Eastern and middle western travelers to the exposition can avail themselves of low round trip rates until Nov. 30, good for return until Dec. 31, so that the traveler who wishes to take in the beauties of the Jewel City will also have ample time to investigate thoroughly the attractions of San Francisco and the golden winter climate of central and southern California after he has seen the last of the great international festival.

There are ample accommodations in San Francisco and across the bay in Alameda or Marin counties, with daily commutation tickets that take one right to the entrance of the exposition. Rates for accommodations have gone down considerably owing to the return of the coast vacationists to their homes which, naturally, has decreased the demand except in the larger hotels, where the rates remain the same as scheduled at the beginning. Many visitors prefer to take rooms and procure their meals at the exposition. Every day thousands of merrymakers may be seen picnicking on the lawns, in the courts or on benches in the gardens, eating their lunches and often their dinners out in the sunshine on the lagoon borders or listening to one of the many fine bands which discourse both popular and classical music for the delectation of the populace at the noon hour and again at the dinner hour.



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ART SMITH, the greatest master of the air in the direction and control of an aeroplane, dates his return to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition from Nov. 7. He will remain in San Francisco until the close of the Exposition, Dec. 4. The boy aviator, who is barely twenty-one, holds the world's record for making twenty-three consecutive loops in the air in his aeroplane. His homecoming will be celebrated by tens of thousands.

ONLY A FEW DAYS BEFORE THE GREAT FAIR CLOSES

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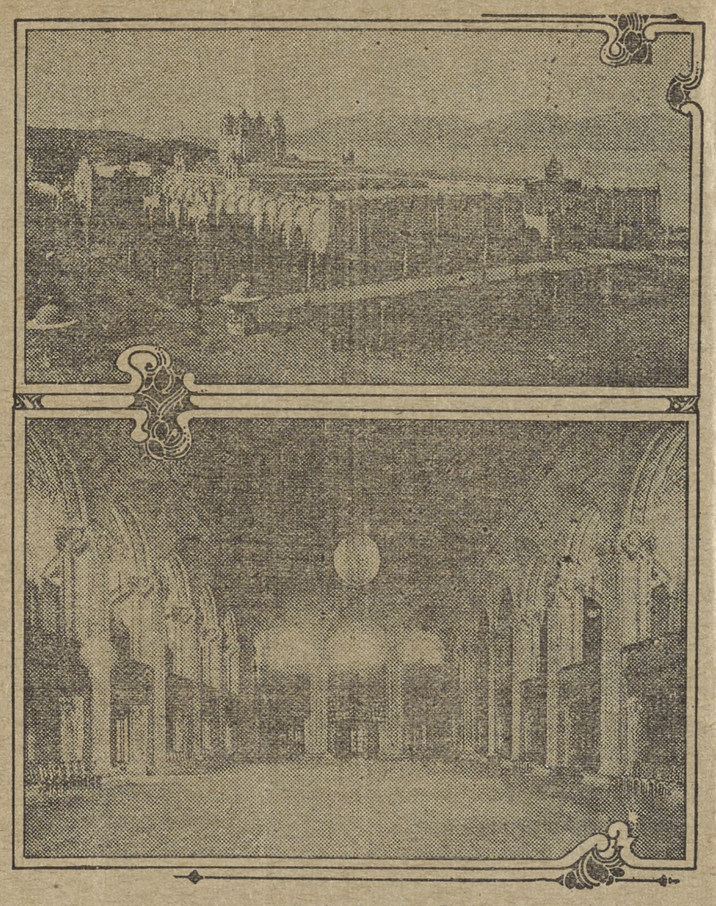
It is only a few days before the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco closes forever on Dec. 4. The great men of the world have acclaimed its wonders. President Arthur Twining Hadley of Yale university said of the Exposition that it was the most wonderful and beautiful Exposition in the history of the world. Thomas Alva Edison, the world famous inventor, said of the Exposition that it was the marvel of the age and that every one should see it. When asked what he considered the most interesting aspect of the Exposition Mr. Edison said: "The Exposition is a composite wonder and no two men will have the same estimate of it. The triumphs of science on exhibit, however, are the most significant note of the Exposition, showing all the evolutions of creative genius. They will endure when the beauty of the Exposition is forgotten. I have already said that machines, not men, should carry on warfare if it has to be carried on. The marvels of mechanical achievement on display here convince me that I am right."

MIGHTY CALIFORNIA BUILDING AT PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION WILL BE SAVED



Above—California building at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, the largest building ever built by a state or a nation at an Exposition. Below—Imposing ballroom in the building, where notable functions have been held this year.

PLANS are under way to preserve the great California building, reproducing the architecture of the California missions and housing the most notable collection of exhibits of the Golden State ever assembled. Aside from five acres of space filled with exhibits of California products, it is the headquarters of the women's board of the Exposition and also of the administrative offices of the Exposition. In this building are many restaurants, huge reception halls and ballrooms, one of which is shown in the picture above.

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Mr. Frank J. Girard was visiting old friends in Irvington on Monday. Mr. Girard is a former resident of Irvington and is also a graduate of the High school in Centerville. From the University of California he was graduated from the mining class in 1902. Since graduation he has devoted his entire time to his chosen profession. The past four years he has been with the Globe Consolidated Mining Compan,y Dedrick, Trinity County, California.

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ALAMEDA LODGE, F. & A. M. Stated meetings at Masonic Temple, Centerville, for 1915: January 30, February 27, March 27, April 24, May 22, June 26, July 24, August 21, September 18, October 16, November 20, December 18.

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NILES LODGE, NO. 382, I. O. O. F. Meets every Monday evening at Niles.
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Estate of Zady Whipple, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Zady Whipple, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executor, at the office of Thomas C. Huxley, Union Savings Bank Building, Northeast corner of Thirteenth Street and Broadway, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Zady Whipple, deceased.

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The News Throughout the Township

Decoto

A dance will be given by Decoto Council No. 45, U. P. P. E. C. and Florestra Council, No. 55, Dec. 11, in Silva's Hall, Decoto. The dance promises to be a very successful one. The committee of Arrangements consists of Mrs. M. J. Pimentel, Miss Minnie Bernardo, Miss Frances Kelly and Messrs. Enas Pimental Manutl Bernardo and M. H. Lewis. The music will be furnished by the Revanno Orchestra of Hayward.

There is some talk about agitating the opening of the road from Alvarado road along the Western Pacific right of way and connecting with the Decoto-Centerville road. This would be a very convenient road for the people hauling from the Alvarado section. Another road that would be a great advantage to Decoto would be a road connecting the Dry Creek road directly with Decoto and thus avoiding the long haul around the Decoto-Centerville road. It would be a dicided advantage to the school.

The Essex Lumber Co. will begin next week on the erection of a brick furnace for the burning of its waste products. A smoke stack sufficiently high will be erected to avoid any danger from flying sparks. The Essex Co. now employs nearly 50 people quite a number of Niles people being regularly employed.

Frank Claudine,, who is employed at the Alameda Suger Co.'s mill at Alvarado, had the misfortune to burn himself quite severely by falling into some lime one day last week.

Centerville

Clarence Salz is able to be about once more, much to the delight of his many friends.

Mrs A. T. Ames entertained the Guild last Wednesday. About twenty members were present and enjoyed a pleasant time. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet in the church next Wednesday. All members are requested to be present, as arrangments will be made for the bazaar.

Mrs. Ed. Holly left for Reno Wednesday to visit her son Kenneth.

Mrs. Lewis gave a charming birthday party Wednesday, iu honor of the ninth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Florinda.

Mrs. Randall and daughter were quite ill for several days this week, but are rapidly improving.

The famous Liberty Bell passed through Centerville Thursday and a big crowd was on hand at the depot to view the historic relic.

Mrs. Hanson of Alameda is visiting the Randalls.

The Misses Semple, violin and piano teachers, of San Jose, who make weekly trips to Centerville, are teaching very large classes here. All of their pupils speak highly of their work.

You'll find it in THE PRESS.

Irvington

Miss. Jennie Diestelhorst has returned from a week's visit to the Exposition.

Frank Reynolds and Lawrence Willard attended the foot ball game in Berkeley, Saturday.

Miss Rose Hinckley has returned from a month's visit in Palo Alto.

T. D. Witherly and wife, Mrs. Graves of Seattle and Miss. L. B. Hinckley motored to Stockton, Saturday.

Mrs. King and Miss Mila Brewer have returned from San Francisco.

Miss M. S. Babb spent the week end in Oakland.

Mrs. Lytel spent last week with her brother, Mr. Robinson, in Berkeley.

Mrs. Wylie, of Oakland, visited her sister, Mrs. Al Hirsch, last week.

Mrs. Luella Graves left Wednesday morning for her home in Seattle, after spending a month with Miss. L. B. Hinckley.

Larry Medeiros spent one day this week with his parents.

Irvington seems to be having an epidemic of la grippe. Most of the sick folks are better at the present writing.

One step won't take you very far,
—youv'e got to keep on walking.
One word won't tell folks who you are,
—youv'e got to keep on talking.
One inch won't make you very tall,
—youv'e got to keep on growing.
One little "ad" won't do it all,
—youv'e got to keep them going.

NILES NOTES

Mr. and Mrs Frank Hudson, of Los Angeles, visited Geo. Hudson and wife this week and spent the night. They motored up for the Exposition, covering two hundred and fifty miles on the day they arrived at the home of their brother in Niles.

Mrs. Marian Southwick Stoching, with her two children, returned to her home in Lyoth, San Joaquin county, on Monday last, after a week's visit with Mrs Clough. Mrs. Stoching found her mother, Mrs. E. E. Southwick, had been very ill during her absence and gone to St. Joseph's Hospital in Stockton, for care and treatment. The Southwick family were residents of Niles for many years.

Mrs. May Cummings, of Petaluma, spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. E. L. Chittenden.

C. Thompson, who was injured by falling from his bicycle a couple of weeks ago, has recovered sufficiently to return to his work.

Mrs. H. B. Ellsworth with Mrs Robert Price and daughter, of Reno, have come down for the family reunion at Thanksgiving time.

The annual bazaar to be given by the Ladies' Guild of the Niles Congregational church, has been postponed from December 3, to Friday, December 10.

Miss Harriett Ellsworth spent the week end with the family of her uncle, Oliver Ellsworth, and attended the U. C. foot ball game.

O. Walpert has purchased a new Buick automobile, and Mrs. Walpert hopes soon to be an expert in spinning over the country roads.

Roy Morgan and wife have returned from their monthly trip to Concord and Martinez.

Mrs. R. O. Moyer and two daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. White in Berkeley last week.

Wm. Moore and wife spent several days at the Exposition this week.

Miss Sybil Easterday, who grew to womanhood in Niles, and of late years a resident of Halfmoon Bay. was married last week to Mr. Lunberg, of Los Altos.

Mrs. J. J. Alberg attended a reception given at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. Raetz, in San Francisco last Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Orpin, of San Francisco, came up for a week end visit with her mother, Mrs. Orpin.

Mrs. M. Watkins, of Los Angeles, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Orpin, in Niles and attending the Exposition.

A. T. Ames is erecting a good sized building on his lot next to the home of Edward Ellsworth. Rumor says that the building is to be used for a rooming and boarding house for Japanese laborers.

Mrs. S. Easterday, of Halfmoon Bay, visited her daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. Easterday last week.

Mesdames Gusrin and S. Worden, of Stockton, were recent Niles visitirs.

Miss Edna Sharpe returned on Monday from a delightful visit of two weeks in Bakersfield.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bogue, who has been spending several months at Belvoir with her sister-in-law, Mrs Chittenden, left on Monday for her home in Whittier.

Messrs. W. H. and Robert Tyson, left the first of the week by automobile for a goose hunt in the San Joaquin marshes.

Mrs. E. P, Mayhew leaves the first of next week for a month's stay in Bakersfield.

A white frost covered vegetation on Thursday morning, as the first rain storm of the season cleared away.

Newark

Miss. Mamie Silva has returned to Oakland after visiting with her brother F. R. Silva.

Mrs. H. E. Fowler and daughter, Mabel, left Thursday on a visit to Keokuk, Iowa.

Mrs. Henry Long visited in San Francisco Wednesday.

Harry Sweeney and brother Wales succeeded in killing about thirty ducks Wednesday.

Mrs. J. F. Silva spent several days in the city this week.

Rev. Dr. Curry, F. Falk and J. C. Buchardi made a business trip to Oakland Thursday.

WE WIN

By EDWARD W. FRIES, Sporting Editor

BRESLAUER'S BATTING DEFEATS NEW ERA'S

With Fodder Dolan twirling his usual big league game, ably assisted by our old favorite , Breslauer, the Niles Essanay Indians were again victorius last Sunday when they romped home with a 3 to 2 win over the strong New Era's of San Francisco.

Let us mention right here that while we may have said of other clubs who have visited here earlier, that they had the best ball club seen here in a long time, still we must say out of pure honesty that the bunch of ball tossers who represented the New Eras displayed more class than any gang seen here this season.

And a little more than that. The Indians had to strain every effort to emerge the winner, for this lad Carberry had so much stuff on the ball that the local swatters touched him for a total of but three hits. On the other hand Dolan was nit safely 8 times, but hits don't always win ball games, unless they are bunched and this is what the visitors could not do

We might say that Carbery outpitched the "Red Head" and deserved a win, but Dolan struck out 13 men and most of these went to the water bucket with men on the bases, and when a hit would have brought joy to the visitors' camp.

The visitors' outfielder the locals who made four errors. Burroughs at short, playing out of his natural position was the chief offender booting the elusive pill on three different occasions, but later making up for his mistakes by making a couple of classy stops and throws when it was most needed.

Breslauer's two triples were enough to win for Niles and to him goes all the credit for the local win. It is needless to mention that Bres was the batting star of the game, followed by Johnson the visitors 3rd sacker who banged out a double and 2 singles.

Right from the start it was apparent that there would be very little scoring and the team was able to first cross the pan would undoubtedly be returned the winner and so it was.

Altho Dolan was touched for 3 hits in the first 2 innings and nobody down he struck out the next 2 batters and Johnson was caught at the plate trying to steal home.

In Niles half of this inning after 2 were down Burroughs walked and Breslauer stepped up and hit one to the far corner in right field, the ball carrying out of the right fielder's reach and before it could be returned to the diamond the local 3rd baseman was safely anchored on 3rd, Burroughs having scored. Breslauer then drew a throw from Barress the New Era 1st baseman which was wild, Bres continuing his rush around the bases with the 2nd run of the inning.

There was noting more doing until the 5th when the visitors scored one. Hefferman reached 1st safely on an error after Rickey had struck out. Black then walked and on hits by Barress and Johnson, Hefferman scored. Carberry ended the inning by sending a weak fly to center.

New Era's tied up the score in the next inning, when Souza led off with a double to right and went to 3rd when the return throw lounced badly away from Burroughs who covered the 2nd bag. Dolan then settled himself and struck out Marron and Jacobs, but made a wild pitch on Rickey letting over Souza.

Niles seemed to have earned a run in this same inning but the umpire ruled differently, therefore causing the only argument during the entire game. Esola opened the inning with a base on balls and stole 2nd, went to 3rd on Rogers sacrifice and had apparently scored on Fries' long fly to center, but Umpire Garrison claimed that Esola had left the bag before the ball had been caught and waved the fleet footed Indians out ending the inning. Niles however came right back in the next inning and won the game when Dolan walked and scored a moment later when Breslauer banged out his second triple to right.

It was a great game and one that the fans will long remember.

Next Sunday the Indians play a return game at Agnew and a large following is sure to make the trip over there. Game called about 2:30 P.M. Sunday a week will see baseball in Niles again.

The score:—

ESSANAY INDIANS 3

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Esola, lf. - -	2	0	0	2	0	0
Rogers, rf. - -	3	0	0	0	0	1
Fries. cf. - -	3	0	1	5	0	0
Tubbs, c. - -	3	0	0	15	1	0
Dolan, p. - -	2	1	0	0	1	0
Burroughs, ss. -	2	1	0	0	2	3
Breslauer, 3b. -	3	1	2	0	0	0
Robinson, 1b. -	3	0	0	3	0	0
Perry, 2b. - -	3	0	0	2	1	0
Totals - -	24	3	3	27	5	4

NEW ERA 2

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rickey, 2b. -	4	0	1	0	4	0
Hefferman, cf. -	5	1	0	3	0	0
Black, c. - -	3	0	1	7	2	0
Barrens, 1b. -	5	0	1	9	0	1
Johnson, 3b. -	5	0	3	2	2	0
Carberry, p. -	4	0	1	1	2	0
Souza, ss. - -	4	1	1	1	1	0
Marron, lf. - -	4	0	0	0	0	0
Jacobs, rf. - -	2	0	0	1	0	0
Totals - -	36	2	8	24	11	3

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	RHE
S.&A. Indians	-0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—	3 3 4
New Era - -	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0—	2 8 1

SUMMARY

3 base hits—Breslauer (2); 2 base hits—Souza, Johnson; Stolen bases—Esola (2), Hefferman, Carberry; Sacrifice hits—Rogers; Base on balls—Off Dolan (2), off Carberry (4); Struck out—By Dolan (13), by Carberry (7); Wild pitches—Dolan; Hit by pitcher—Rickey, Black, Jacobs, by Dolan; Double plays—Hefferman to Black to Johnson; Time—1 hour 45 minutes; Umpires — Garrison and Hildebrand; Scorer—Moger.

ESSANAY INDIANS NOTES

That was some victory last Sunday. The boys certainly had to play hard to beat the New Era's.

The New Era's presented just about one of the strongest line-ups we have had the pleasure of seeing this season.

That's the way we like to see 'em. The better they are, the better we like 'em. Any old ball club can beat a bunch of dubbs, but you surely have to go some to hang it on a bunch like the New Era's.

Carberry pitched a clever game. It was no fault of his that he did not emerge a victor. It was a grand pitchers' duel, with Carberry having shade over his "Brick-Top" rival.

We don't mean to say that Dolan was not there with bells on, for he most certainly was, but we must say that Carberry's pitching was "darn-night' invincible as the 3 hits made off his delivery were somewhat of the scratch variety. A good outfielder might have caught Breslauer's hits, but there is a difference of opinion about that. However Bres certainly hit that old pill and deserves all the credit for winning the game. Fries' hit was an infield one that the 1st sacker could not handle in time to retire the "Ice-Cream Centerfielder".

Esola made a classy shoe-string catch of a low line drive over short. "Pee-wee" certainly looked the goods in the outfield.

Tubbs was hit on the finger with a a foul tip in the 1st inning which affected his throwing. He gamely stuck to his post and caught the remainder of the game in his usual big-league style.

A fair sized crowd was out Sunday and with the kind of ball the local players are putting up these days, the attendance should be doubled when they play at Sullivan park again. Come out everybody.

Next Sunday everybody goes to Agnew. It should be as good a game as that played there between the same two teams 2 weeks ago. The local players will leave about 10 A. M.

The Niles Essanay Indians will return to Agnew next Sunday, after having defeated the Hospital Club two weeks ago in one of the hardest fought contests of the season. No doubt a large following will make the trip and by good hard rooting will hope to help the local club bring back a victory. The players will leave Niles about 9:30 a. m. and will be met by the hospital authorities, who will extend to them the same courtesy they received before. They will be shown through the entire plant, and then led to the large dining room where they will crowd the plate.

Auction Sale At Decoto

Auction sale of farm implements and live stock on the Bell ranch, at Decoto, formerly farmed by Mrs. Mae A. Mederia of San Leandro.

The sale will take place on Thursday, November 18. This sale will include twenty-eight head of tested cows.

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EDITORIAL

There are several questions to be decided by the school in the near future. First, should we adopt American football or continue to play Rugby? The game between San Jose and Palo Alto at San Jose last Saturday gives us an idea of how great excellence can be acquired in Rugby. Without considreing our circumstances, we play a very poor grade of Rugby. The team has lots of fight and we are all eager to learn more about the game, but our condition and stamina are not sufficiently developed during the short season and headwork is lacking.. if we would all make as good use of what little brain we have as well as we do our brawn while our wind lasts, a good high school team could be developed with the material we have this year. Therefore the game is scientific enough for us if we only develop the fine points.

A well played game of Rugby is exciting and interesting from the spectators standpoint. There is not so much chance for star plays but that is a good thing for the team does not fall in the habit of depending on one or two men to win for them. Furthermore there are four more men on a Rugby team. That means that nearly half again as many men are given an opportunity to get the fun and physical benefits resulting from the games. That is especially true in our school.

American football, on the other hand is the original American game of football. Chances are that the majority of California schools will follow next season in the footsteps of the University of California. In my opinion, Rugby suffers in a comparison with it, from the spectators standpoint. It is exciting and thrilling at every moment during the play. The onlookers are kept guessing at all times. The game is full of trick plays. Headwork on the part of players is required. It is the basis of success, After a man is selected for a position he holds it for the rest of the season. Each fellow has different duties in his individual position. The team develops into a human machine. The question is, could we develop this kind of a team? In football there is no more chance of getting hurt than there is of getting kicked in Rugby.

Nearly all of the players stayed to witness the game between San Jose and Palo Alto for the Peninsular Championship. The game was one of the best which any of the boys had seen and was won by Palo Alto 9 to 5. San Joses' forwards outplayed Palo Alto's but this was more than made up for by the fast and accurate work of the Palo Alto backfield. Palo Alto is to play Berkeley today for the Rugby Championship of the State and a great game is looked for.

SAN JOSE TURNS TABLES ON WASHINGTON

Washington travelled to San Jose Saturday to play the second team of that school and was defeated 8 to 3. A game had been originally scheduled between the 120 pound teams of the two schools, but owing to sickness Washington was not able to get together a full team, so instead of disappointing the San Jose people the first team offered them their services. It could hardly be called a first team because only ten of the regular players were on it. When we got to San Jose we found out that we only had twelve players and it was necessary to get three men from Santa Clara to round out our team. These men far from weakened our team, but helped a geat deal toward strengthening it, and without their aid we would have been in a mighty bad fix. For the first time since the school has been playing Rugby a 3-2-3 scrum was used and altho it worked to advantage many of the fellows could not get accustomed to their new places,, and at times it hindered our work. The backfield was also shifted around and considering all the odds that were against us, we put up a good fight and came closer winning than the score indicates.

In the first half May kicked off for Washington and San Jose rteurned the ball to midfield. In the scrimmage that followed Washington fought the ball into San Jose's territory and were in scoring distance for quite a while. Washington carried the ball over the line but lost it and San Jose dropped out. They followed their advantage and worked the ball into Washington's territory. The play then centered in our treritory, and from a scrum San Jose received the ball and went over for the first score. The try was not converted which left the score 3 to 0. After the dropout San Jose took the offensive and started many passing rushes which finally resulted in a try which was converted. That ended the scoring for the first half with San Jose leading 8 to 0.

After a ten minute rest play was again resumed. San Jose kicked off and the ball was put into touch in Washington's territory. The play in this half was slightly in favor of Washington, especially in the last part. For almost the entire half the ball was in the middle of the field with either team not being able to advance much. Towards the end of the half Washington took the offensive and steadily gained ground until the ball was brought into San Jose territory. Once the ball was taken over but a five-yard scrum was called. On the next play a passing rush was started in which Logan went over for a try near the corner of the field. Rose failed to convert from a difficult angle. Aftr the dropout Washington still kept up its offensive playing but was unable to score any more. The game ended with the ball on San Joses' five-yard line with both teams fighting as hard as at the beginning of the game. Washington lined up as follews: Forwards, Barnard, Brown, Jones, May, Norris, Copeland, Stealey, Hawes; backs, Can, Zwissig, Emerson, Falk, Logan, Lewis, Rose.

NEWS

Herman Murphy and Allen Norris have cornered a pencil market and are selling pencils at a record-breaking bargain price.

Miss Florence Medirous has returned to school after a slight sickness.

The German class gave the school a little entertainment Friday morning by singing a number of German national airs.

A number of the girls of the school motored to San Jose Saturday to see the game between Washington and San Jose High.

Basket ball practice was hindered this last week because of the poor condition of the court due to the rain.

At present the school is in the midst of preparations for the Thanksgiving dance to be held at Maple Hall in Irvington on November 27. The different collectors are very busy and the pupils find it hard to take many steps before being challenged for their dance dues.

Guess who is sporting a block "W"? Guess who prefers Centerville hospitality to the comforts of Niles station? Guess who would not claim a note-book belonging to "J. K."?

Basketball is the next sport in line, all of the members of the last year's team are in school and with other material to pick from a strong team ought to be organized. Basketball is a sport in which the pupils should take more interest than they have in past years, and probably they would be able to put out stronger teams.. The league game starts on Dc. 4th and as yet no practice games have been arranged.

Plans are being discussed of having a "whole school meet" with Palo Alto, which would include eight events of different character,, and would give every one in school a chance of competing. This would undoubtedly create a lot of interest if it could be arranged and from the feeling of the pupils it will probably be carried out.

NOTES OF THE GAME

Five of the regular players, Snow,, Costa, Valencia, J. Zwissig and Mickle were not in the game Saturday and their absence tended to weaken the team materially. Jack Case formerly a member of the faculty in this school but now in San Jose referreed the game and handled it in fine shape. The trip was made in automobiles, the machines leaving Centerville at 12:30 P. M. and getting back at 5:30.

Saturday's game was probably the last one this year. The football season as a whole has been very successful and it is hoped that in the other branches of sport we shall be likewise successful. Out of nine games played this year we won four, lost four and tied one.

At a meeting held Thursday Henry May of Decoto, was elected captain and Falton Stealy of Centerville manager of the 1916 football team. Both will be in the junior class next year and everything points toward them having a successful season, at least everyone in school hopes so..